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PATENT APPLICATION

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TITLE Wavelength-Selective Add/Drop Arrangement For Optical Communication Systems

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5 Informal Sheets of drawing(s)
1 Assignment(s) with Cover Sheet
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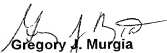
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Total Claims	22 - 20 =	2	x \$18 =
Independent Claims	4 - 3 =	1	x \$80 =
Multiple Dependent Claims, if applicable			+ \$270 =
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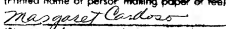
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